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STRONGER MEASURES TO FREE CUBA URGED

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MIAMI BEACH, Sept. 8— Stronger measures to free Cuba from the Castro regime were demanded today in a forum at the American Legion's 45th annual convention. It was held by the Legion's National Security and Foreign Relations Commissions.

The forum heard a panel composed of Senator Kenneth B. Keating, Republican, of New York; Luis A. Somoza Debayle former President of Nicaragua; John Hugh Crimmins, Coordinator of Cuban Affairs, of the State Department, and Emilio Rodriguez, representing Cuban exiles.

Senator Keating called for a tight economic embargo against Cuba and charged that United States policy against Premier Fidel Castro was "half-hearted."

Mr. Somoza Debayle said it was "impossible to speak of hemispheric unity and solidarity" as long as Dr. Castro and the Soviet Union remained in Cuba.